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I-5 CARPOOL LANE FROM SR-118 TO SR-14

UPDATE #27

LANE CLOSURES FOR I-5 CARPOOL LANE CONSTRUCTION NEAR SYLMAR, OCTOBER 3 - 8

Sylmar/North San Fernando Valley – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close the following lanes, ramps and connectors of the Golden State Freeway (I-5) as part of a \$41.6-million project to construct High Occupancy Vehicle, (HOV), or carpool lanes, on northbound and southbound I-5 from State Route 118 to State Route 14:

DAILY, MONDAY, OCTOBER 3 THROUGH FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7:

- 5 a.m. to 2 p.m. One lane of northbound I-5 from State Route 210 to State Route 14
- 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. One lane of southbound I-5 and the southbound auxiliary lane from Brand Boulevard to State Route 118
- 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Chatsworth Street on-ramp to southbound I-5
- 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The northbound I-5 off-ramp to eastbound San Fernando Mission Boulevard

NIGHTLY, MONDAY, OCTOBER 3 THROUGH THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6:

- 6 p.m. to 5 a.m. Up to two lanes of southbound I-5 from State Route 14 to Balboa Boulevard
- 6 p.m. to 5 a.m. Up to two lanes of southbound I-5 from San Fernando Mission Boulevard
- 6 p.m. to 7 a.m. The southbound I-5 off-ramp to Paxton Street
- 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. The Laurel Canyon on-ramp to northbound I-5
- 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. The southbound auxiliary lane from Brand Boulevard to State Route 118
- 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. The southbound I-5 off-ramp to San Fernando Mission Boulevard

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NIGHTLY, MONDAY, OCTOBER 3 THROUGH THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6 – continued...

- 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. The westbound San Fernando Mission Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-5
- 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. The eastbound San Fernando Mission Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-5
- 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. The Brand Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-5
- 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. The southbound I-5 connector to I-405 truck bypass
- 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. Up to two lanes of northbound I-5 from Roxford Street to eastbound State Route 210 connector
- 8 p.m. to 8 a.m. Up to two lanes of northbound I-5 from Balboa Boulevard to State Route 14
- 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. Up to two lanes of northbound I-5 from eastbound State Route 210 connector to Balboa Boulevard
- 8 p.m. to 5 am. One lane of southbound I-5 at I-405 truck bypass
- 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. Up to two lanes of southbound I-5 from I-405 to San Fernando Mission Boulevard
- 9 p.m. to 6 a.m. Up to two lanes of northbound I-5 from Laurel Canyon Avenue to I-405
- 10 p.m. to 5 a.m. Up to two lanes of southbound I-5 at State Route 14
- 11 p.m. to 5 a.m. Up to two lanes of northbound I-5 at State Route 14

OVERNIGHT FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7 THROUGH SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8:

- 6 p.m. to 11 a.m. Up to two lanes of southbound I-5 from State Route 14 to Balboa Boulevard
- 6 p.m. to 11:59 a.m. The southbound I-5 off-ramp to Paxton Street
- 7 p.m. to 11:59 a.m. The southbound I-5 connector to I-405 truck bypass
- 7 p.m. to 11:59 a.m. The eastbound San Fernando Mission Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-5
- 8 p.m. to 11:59 a.m. The Laurel Canyon Avenue on-ramp to southbound I-5
- 8 p.m. to 11:59 a.m. The southbound I-5 off-ramp to San Fernando Mission Boulevard
- 8 p.m. to 11:59 a.m. The Brand Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-5
- 8 p.m. to 11:59 a.m. The westbound San Fernando Mission Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-5

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OVERNIGHT FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7 THROUGH SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8 – continued...

- 8 p.m. to 11:59 a.m. The Chatsworth Street on-ramp to southbound I-5
- 8 p.m. to 11:59 a.m. Up to two lanes of northbound I-5 from Balboa Boulevard to State Route 14
- 9 p.m. to 6 a.m. Up to two lanes of northbound I-5 from Laurel Canyon Avenue to I-405
- 9 p.m. to 8 a.m. –Up to two lanes of northbound I-5 from Roxford Avenue to eastbound State Route 210 connector
- 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. Up to two lanes of southbound I-5 from I-405 to San Fernando Mission Boulevard
- 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. One lane of southbound I-5 at I-405 truck bypass
- 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. Up to two lanes of northbound I-5 from eastbound State Route 210 connector to Balboa Boulevard
- 11 p.m. to 11:59 a.m. Up to two southbound lanes and the southbound auxiliary lane from San Fernando Mission Boulevard to Brand Boulevard
- 11:59 p.m. to 6 a.m. Up to two lanes of southbound I-5 at State Route 14
- 1 a.m. to 6 a.m. Up to two lanes of northbound I-5 at State Route 14

Closures are weather permitting and subject to change. Signs and detours will be posted to assist motorists. Caltrans reminds motorists that traffic fines are doubled in freeway work zones, and to please *SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE*.

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